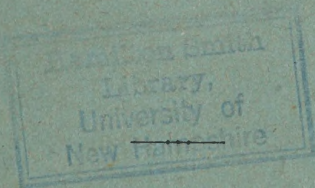


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REPORT OF SELECTMEN

For the Year Ending January 31, 1919

VALUATION OF THE TOWN

Real estate,	\$199,135 00
Polls, 68,	136 00
Horses, 132,	10,240 00
Oxen, 6,	1,050 00
Cows, 193,	14,660 00
Other neat stock, 34,	1,920 00
Sheep, 64,	545 00
Hogs, 2,	75 00
Fowls, 102,	127 00
Vehicles and automobiles, 20,	2,675 00
Portable mills, 2,	250 00
Wood and lumber,	600 00
Stock in national banks in this state,	1,008 00
Money on hand, at interest, or on deposit,	21,278 00
Stock in trade,	800 00
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	\$254,363 00

TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 1918

State tax,	\$408 00
County tax,	618 45
Town charges,	600 00
Repairs on town hall,	75 00
School tax,	382 50
In addition for schools,	493 20
Six months' addition for schools,	246 60
Special school tax,	440 00
State highways,	363 00
State maintenance,	300 00
Highways,	660 41
Old Home Day,	50 00
Percentage,	70 89
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Total,	\$4,708 05
Amount committed to collector,	\$4,708 05

Rate per cent on \$100, \$1.78.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF SURRY
ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer,	\$249 77
Due from state on maintenance account,	47 91
Highway account, unexpended balance in state treasury,	807 82

Uncollected taxes for 1915,	30 36
Uncollected taxes for 1918,	829 27
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Total assets,	\$1,965 13

LIABILITIES

Due to school, dog licenses,	\$37 20
State and town joint <i>highway</i> account:	
Unexpended balance in state treasury,	807 82
Unexpended balance in town treasury,	646 74
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Total liabilities,	\$1,491 76
Excess of assets over liabilities,	473 37
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	\$1,965 13

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town hall, land and buildings,	\$5,000 00
Furniture and equipment,	100 00
Fire department:	
Equipment,	250 00
Hearse,	50 00
New Hampshire reports:	300 00
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	\$5,800 00

DISBURSEMENTS BY ORDER OF SELECTMEN

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

H. W. Harvey, services as selectman,	\$55 00
C. H. French, services as selectman,	45 00
J. V. Stillings, services as selectman,	30 00
M. H. Porter, services as town clerk,	23 00
S. J. Wilder, services as treasurer,	20 00
L. C. Buntlin, collecting balance 1917 tax,	10 00
	<hr/> \$183 00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Printing town reports,	\$28 80
Stationery, postage and supplies,	16 14
Counsel's fees,	6 00
Bonds,	16 50
	<hr/> \$67 44

ELECTION EXPENSES

Salary of moderator,	\$6 00
Salaries of supervisors,	27 00
Salaries of ballot inspectors,	24 00
	<hr/> \$57 00

TOWN HALL EXPENSES

Repairs,	\$60 91
Janitor and fuel,	42 23
Insurance,	44 90
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	\$148 04

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Tramps,	\$4 00
Collecting dog tax,	2 50
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	\$6 50

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Care of fire engine,	\$2 00
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VITAL STATISTICS

Vital statistics,	\$7 00
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STATE HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

S. A. M. 1917, balance in state treasury,	\$111 23
S. A. M. 1917, balance in town treasury,	46 16
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Total, 1917,	\$157 39

Appropriation 1918, state,	\$300 00	
Appropriation 1918, town,	300 00	
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Additional appropriation, state,	\$47 91	
Additional appropriation, town,	2 38	
	<hr/>	\$50 29
Total joint fund for 1918,		<hr/> \$807 68
Expended by Edward M. Britton,	\$523 16	
Expended by Frank O. Cross,	284 52	
	<hr/>	\$807 68
Expended in 1918,		
Trunk line maintenance, Monadnock road, one-fourth expense,		\$25 00

TOWN HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

E. M. Britton,	\$298 78
West Hill roads,	446 97
Breaking roads,	15 00
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	\$760 75

LIBRARY EXPENSES

Librarian,	\$52 00
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MEMORIAL DAY EXPENSES

Memorial Day expenses,	\$6 00
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CEMETERY EXPENSES

Sexton,	\$15 00
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ABATEMENTS

A. S. Williams,	\$215 60
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TEMPORARY LOAN

Interest on temporary loan in anticipation of taxes,	\$15 78
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STATE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Balance 1917, state treasury,	\$354 07	
Balance 1917, town treasury,	283 74	
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		\$637 81
1918 appropriation, state,	\$453 75	
1918 appropriation, town,	363 00	
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		\$816 75
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Total joint fund,		\$1,454 56

Expended in 1918,	90 67
Unexpended balance,	\$1,363 89
Trunk line construction, Monadnock road, one-fourth expense,	\$268 13

PAYMENTS ON TEMPORARY LOAN

Payments on temporary loan in anticipation of taxes. \$1,100 00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

State tax,	\$408 00
County tax,	618 45
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	\$1,026 45

PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Payments to school districts, \$1,678 35

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. HARVEY,
C. H. FRENCH,
J. V. STILLINGS,
Selectmen of Surry.

REPORT OF TREASURER

For the Year Ending January 31, 1919

RECEIPTS

Balance in treasury,	\$367 59
State highway department, maintenance,	411 23
Selectmen, borrowed of Ashuelot National Bank,	1,100 00
State treasurer, railroad tax,	15 10
State treasurer, savings bank tax,	214 88
State treasurer, literary fund,	29 90
State treasurer, proportion of school fund,	76 75
Town clerk, dog licenses,	37 20
Town clerk, cemetery lots,	8 00
L. M. Cohen, rent of store,	2 50
Surry Grange, rent of hall,	15 00
L. C. Buntlin, 1917 tax,	553 54
L. C. Buntlin, 1918 tax,	3,878 78
Total receipts,	<hr/> \$6,710 47

EXPENDITURES

Paid 101 orders drawn on the treasury by the selectmen,	\$6,460 70
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Balance in treasury,	\$249 77

Respectfully submitted,

S. J. WILDER,
Town Treasurer.

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

Sarah Aldrich fund:

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	\$144 96
Interest,	5 82

Mary Hayward fund:

Deposited in Cheshire County Savings Bank,	\$276 74
Interest,	11 16

Sumner Wilder fund:

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank,	\$175 00
Interest (\$7.06) which was withdrawn for schools	

Susan Hill fund:

Deposited in Keene Savings Bank,	\$116 65
Interest,	4 68

S. J. WILDER,
L. A. HODGKINS,
F. E. ELLIS,

Trustees.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

REPORT OF REGISTRY OF DOGS FOR 1918

Number of male dogs, 18,	\$36 00
Number of female dogs, 1,	5 00
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	\$41 00
Clerk's fees at 20c,	3 80
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Paid treasurer,	\$37 20

REPORT ON CEMETERY LOTS,

Received for four lots,	\$8 00
Paid treasurer,	\$8 00

Respectfully submitted,

MYRON H. PORTER,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

For the Year Ending February 1, 1919

VILLAGE SCHOOL

Miss Louise Baldasaro, Walpole, teacher, spring, fall and winter terms.

Length of school in weeks: Spring term, 12; fall term, 11; winter term in session.

Number of pupils: Spring term, 15; fall term, 23; winter term, 19.

Wages of teacher per month: Spring term, \$40; fall and winter terms, \$48.

NORTH END SCHOOL

Miss Eleanor Jackson, Bellows Falls, teacher, spring term; Miss Florence Hobbs, Westminister, Mass., teacher, fall and winter terms.

Length of school in weeks: Spring term, 12; fall term, 11; winter term, in session.

Number of pupils: Spring term, 17; fall term, 13; winter term, 11.

Wages of teacher per month: Spring term, \$40; fall and winter terms, \$48.

WEST HILL SCHOOL

Miss Edith Winchester, Keene, teacher, spring, fall and winter terms.

Length of school in weeks: Spring term, 13; fall and winter terms, 14.

Number of pupils: Spring term 7; fall and winter terms, 7.

Wages of teacher per month: Spring, fall and winter terms, \$36.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Village school, spring term—Helen Salley, Violet Salley; fall term, Floyd Britton; winter term in session.

North End school, spring term—Vernon Buntlin, Ferne Buntlin; fall term, Gette Grout; winter term in session.

West Hill school—Not any.

FINANCES

RECEIPTS

Balance from last year, for schools,	\$68 27
Balance from last year, for repairs,	10 70
Balance from last year, for high school tuition,	20 04
Balance from last year, for flags,	2 75
Balance from last year, for supplies,	4 40

Total balance on hand,	\$106 16
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Money required by law for schools,	\$382 50
Additional amount voted at school meeting,	493 20
Assessed for school supplies,	50 00
Interest on Wilder fund,	7 06
Assessed for high school tuition,	220 00
Salaries of school officers,	55 00
Literary fund,	29 90
State aid for average attendance,	22 75
Qualified teachers,	54 00
Dog tax,	9 40

\$1,429 97

Amount voted at the school meeting, 1918, for
the additional six months, in compliance
with the provisions of the law of 1917:

Additional money,	\$246 60
High school tuition,	90 00
School supplies,	25 00

Total receipts,	\$1,791 57
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Balance :

For schools,	\$315 79
For high school tuition,	135 04
For supplies,	50 29
For flags,	2 75
For repairs,	2 75
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	\$506 62

EXPENDITURES

Scholars' supplies,	\$29 11
For teachers' salaries,	862 20
Hiram F. Newell, member of school board,	\$20 00
Emma P. Wilder, member of school board,	12 00
Kate H. Porter, member of school board,	12 00
Hiram F. Newell, truant officer,	4 00
Mason A. Carpenter, treasurer,	7 00
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	\$55 00
High school tuition,	195 00
Transportation,	40 60
Wood and kindlings,	61 25
Janitor service,	26 16
Cleaning schoolhouses,	5 25
Repairs,	7 95
Miscellaneous,	2 43
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Total expenditures,	\$1,284 95

MONEY DISBURSED FOR SCHOOLS

Village school:

Miss Louise Baldasaro, teaching, 27½ weeks,	\$307 20
Mrs. Bertha Conley, transportation 11½ weeks,	40 60
Arthur Britton, janitor,	5 20
Floyd Britton, janitor,	4 40
Victor Lemmien, 2¼ cords wood,	13 69
F. D. W. Carpenter, kindling,	2 50
S. J. Wilder, sawing wood,	2 25
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	\$375 84

North End school:

Miss Eleanor Jackson, teaching, 12 weeks,	\$120 00
Miss Florence Hobbs, teaching, 16 weeks,	192 00
Mrs. Chambers, cleaning schoolhouse,	3 25
Paul Scripture, janitor,	7 40
Victor Lemmien, 2 cords wood,	10 81
S. J. Wilder, sawing wood,	2 75
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	\$336 21

West Hill school:

Miss Edith M. Winchester, teaching, 27 weeks,	\$243 00
Mrs. F. R. Crain, janitor,	2 16
Miss Edith M. Winchester, janitor,	7 00
Frank Mason, wood,	29 25
Mrs. F. R. Crain, cleaning schoolhouse,	2 00
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	\$283 41

ESTIMATES FOR THE COMING FISCAL YEAR ENDING
JANUARY 31, 1918

Money for high school tuition,	\$180 00
Salaries of school board and other officers,	55 00
School supplies,	60 00
Flags,	5 00

Owing to the fact that there is at the present time a bill before the Committee on Education in the House of Representatives which reorganizes the whole system of raising school money, and the apportionment of state aid, it is not possible for us at this time to give the amount of money required by law for schools and also the amount entitling districts to state aid.

Respectfully submitted,

HIRAM F. NEWELL,

EMMA P. WILDER,

KATE H. PORTER,

School Board.

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Received from last year's treasurer,	\$106 16
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Received from town treasurer by order of
selectmen:

May 10,	\$200 00
June 25,	150 00
July 4,	50 00
September 4,	100 00
September 25,	150 00
November 25,	150 00
January 17,	150 00
February 1,	300 00
February 12,	428 35
February 12, town treasurer, Wilder fund,	7 06

Total receipts,	\$1,791 57
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Paid out on 44 orders by orders of school board,	1,284 95
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Balance in treasury February 13,	\$506 62
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Respectfully submitted,

M. A. CARPENTER,
Treasurer.

VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SURRY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1918.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
Apr 5									
June 15	Dorothy May	F	Leon A. Hodgkins	Elizabeth Randall	Farmer	Surry	Keene	32	32
June 29	Beatrice Irene	F	George B. Conley	Bertha Wilbur	Farmer	Surry	Surry	29	28
July 20	Lawrence Moran	F	Leon I. Curtis	Grace L. Guillow	Farmer	Keene	Surry	34	31
Nov. 13	Raymond W.	M	Lewis Buntlin	Inez Hodgkins	Farmer	Windsor, Vt.	Surry	31	28
		M	William Rollins	Rosie Durant	Farmer	Lynn, Ms.	Keene		

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SURRY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1918.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition *	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Apr. 15	Keene	Frank L. Ellis	Keene	38	Teamster	Keene	Charles Ellis	Keene	1st	Rev. L. D. Keeler
		Nellie F. Davis	Surry	16	Domestic	Alstead	Rosella Wymann	Grafton, Vt.	1st	Keene
May 9	Keene	Alfred P. Sinclair	Surry	43	Laborer	Canada	Wm. O. Davis	Alstead	1st	FH White
		Malvina Durant	Surry	52	Housework	Canada	Mary D. Cady	Canada	2d	White
June 29	Townsend Vt.	Lewis E. Jackson	Surry	27	Farming	Grafton, Vt.	Peter Sinclair	Canada	1st	White
		Eleanor Jackson	Surry	21	Teaching	[West, Vt. Westminster	M. Oshaghnessy	Canada	1st	White
							A. Labounty	Canada	2d	White
							— Phaneuf	Canada	1st	White
							Edward Jackson	Simonsville, Vt.	1st	White
							Sarah Jackson	Grafton, Vt.	1st	White
							Everett Jackson	Grafton, Vt.	1st	White
							Mary Jackson	Charlestown	1st	White

* What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SURRY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1918.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.		Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years.	Months.	Days.	Male or Female.	S, M, W.*	Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 29	Stephen H. Clement	63	4	12	M	M	Maine	Maine	Benjamin F. Clement	Louisa Chase
Mar. 26	Lizzie W. Hall	84	11	25	F	M	Ohio	Keene	Samuel Cunningham	Elizabeth Randall
Apr. 5	— Hodskins				F	M	Surry	Surry	Leon A. Hodskins	Mary Carpenter
Apr. 13	Herman O. Streeter	74	10	29	M	M	Surry	Surry	Willard Streeter	Rosamond Allen
Dec. 18	Rosamond Cady	24	1	27	F	M	Woodstock, Vt.	Surry	Samuel L. Newton	Charlotte Durnell
Dec. 24	Sarah R. Kingsbury	72	3		F	M	Surry	Surry	Nathan Reed	

* Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths, is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MYRON H. PORTER,
Town Clerk.

